

## The Norfolk News

The seaside bathing suit isn't said much about. There isn't much of it to speak of.

The Chicago Tribune says the trouble with the state anti-trust laws is that they have side doors.

Mrs. Leland Stanford has just contributed to Stanford University \$5,000,000 more dollars. Some colleges are born lucky.

Gen. Otis says the rations provided for the soldiers at Manila are all right. And thus fades away another possibility of kicking the administration.

Assistant Superintendent of the Census Wines estimates that the national census to be taken in 1900 will show 77,000,000. This is a gain of 15,000,000 in ten years. If the same rate of increase is maintained, in 1950 the population of the United States will be 190,000,000.

The Omaha Bee inaugurated a new departure yesterday, by the issuance of a supplement called the Omaha Illustrated Bee. Its half-tones covering local subjects are well made and nicely printed on calendered paper. It is promised as a regular Sunday feature of the Bee in future.

Mrs. George Gould's children have a head nurse, two assistants, two governesses, two grooms and two footboys to minister to their wants. Talk about pitying poor children! Great Scott! It's rich folks' children that need our condolences. Poor little Goulds! How bad they must feel!

A movement is on foot among the merchants looking forward to the early closing of dry-goods, clothing, boot and shoe and millinery stores at 6:30 in the evening from July 5th to September 5th. It is also hoped that an agreement may be reached whereby the stores will be closed at the same time from January 1st to September 5th, next year.

Every feathery cloud appearing in the distant heavens assumes the magnitude of an on-sweeping, life destroying cyclone in the vivid imagination of many mortals during these later days of trouble. It should be remembered, however, that it has been a long time since Norfolk had this kind of an unwelcome visitor, and it may be a long time yet before one comes this way.

Miss Gertrude Roosevelt, an actress now playing before London audiences, and who is an American, is gaining fame and fortune as the daughter of Governor Roosevelt of New York. There is no truth in the story whatever. Theodore Roosevelt has six children, but they are all little folks living at home under the watchful care of a fond mother.

Will Owen Jones, the versatile managing editor of the Lincoln Journal, is writing a series of articles for the National Printer-Journalist, under the head of "The Desk Man," which are full of information and interest not only to the young man starting out in newspaper work, but contain many points that go to help those long in the harness. Coming from one of the brightest editors in the state, taken from practical experience, the suggestions made by Mr. Jones are well worth the careful study of every person engaged in producing newspapers.

John Barrett, late minister to Siam, in an address showing the importance of China's trade to this country says: "It is a conservative estimate to say that the southern states should within the next 15 years do a business of \$25,000,000 per annum in cotton, if the markets in China are not closed against them." It is significant that men who know the most of the east, are the most enthusiastic over the possibilities of trade in that direction. It becomes more and more evident that Dewey's victory at Manila was opportune. Asia needs America's enlightening and progressive influence—America needs Asia as an outlet for its material and moral energies.

### Testimonial to a Brave Act.

It has been suggested that Norfolk could do no more fitting thing than to raise a fund for the purpose of erecting a modest monument over the remains of brave Nate Owen, who last week sacrificed his own life in order that a companion might be saved. Such acts of heroism often appear as the creation of the novelist, but they are not common in every day life. When they are met, however, people with common accord take off their hats and bow their heads to the hero. The suggestion that a testimonial fund be raised is one which should meet the approval of every person in Norfolk, and The News hopes there will be enough interested in seeing the right thing done, to make a canvass of the city. There should be no trouble to raise all that is needed by popular subscription. Not a large fund would be required, and no large amount should be accepted from any one person, the sentiment expressed by the gift being of more value than the amount contributed.

### Dilapidated Sidewalks.

It must be admitted that never within

the history of Norfolk, have the sidewalks been in such a generally dilapidated condition as they are this morning. All over town the boards are loose and gone, the stringers underneath are in many cases rotted away, and the whole sidewalk system is anything but creditable. This condition should not be allowed to continue. Property owners should repair their walks where it can be done, but where they are too far gone they should be replaced with new. By repairing does not mean that an owner should be allowed to go out and nail a board over a hole in the walk, thus making a stumbling block, but that new boards should be put in where needed. Too many of these stumbling blocks are in existence now and every one should be ordered removed. There are ordinances which provide for the construction and maintenance of suitable sidewalks along the thoroughfares of the city and these ordinances should be enforced. Two years ago when an effort was attempted to have the sidewalks repaired, the plea was made that on account of the depressed financial condition then prevailing, property owners should be given more time in which to make repairs, but no such reason exists now, and there should be no hesitation on the part of city officials to require that the walks be put in good condition.

Then, after the walks are so restored that they are presentable, measures should be adopted which will have the effect to keep cattle and horses from roaming over them and breaking them down again. The stock nuisance is responsible for many of the damaged sidewalks, and needs rigid restrictions strictly enforced.

An Expert on Advertising. "I never in my life used such a thing as a poster or dodger, or hand bill. My plan for twenty years has been to buy so much space in a newspaper and fill it up as I wanted. I would not give an advertisement in a paper of 500 circulation for five thousand dodgers or posters.

"If I wanted to sell cheap jewelry or run a gambling scheme I might use posters; but I would not insult a decent reading public with hand bills.

"The class of people who read them are too poor to look to for support in mercantile affairs. I deal directly with the publisher. I say to him:

"How long will you let me run a column of matter through your paper for \$100 or \$500, as the case may be. I let him do the figuring, and if I think he is not trying to make more than his share, I give him the copy. I lay aside the profits on a particular line of goods for advertising purposes.

"At first I laid aside \$3,000; last year I laid aside and spent \$40,000. I have done better this year and shall increase that sum as the profits warrant it. I owe my success to newspapers and to them I freely give a certain portion of my yearly business."—John Wannamaker in the Fourth Estate.

### Wife of the Nebraska Colonel.

The following telegram from New Albany, Ind., is taken from the Cincinnati Tribune:

"Mrs. Mary La Tourette Stotsenburg, widow of Col. John Stotsenburg of this city, who has just arrived at Washington with the remains of her husband after a trip of several weeks from Manila, bears the distinction of having been often under fire on the firing line around Manila. When Colonel Stotsenburg went to the Philippines his wife accompanied him, and, arriving there, insisted on being permitted to accompany her husband in the subsequent campaigns. She went as a nurse with the consent of General Otis, but on many occasions she had to spend hours in the trenches with the troops.

"Letters from Manila to relatives here, written months ago, tell of instances in which the plucky woman was caught during different engagements and was forced, with her escort to drop in the trenches, where she lay with the bullets whistling over her head. On different occasions she could not restrain her enthusiasm, and, although she does not make references to it, reliable reports tell of her seizing a rifle from a dying soldier and doing very effective work.

"She has borne up bravely under the great grief caused by the killing of her husband, and, although thousands of miles away from home, she resolutely took into her hands the details of preparing for shipment home of the remains. On the long trip across the ocean, suppressed by grief and responsibility, her demeanor has caused the greatest admiration for her. Mrs. Stotsenburg will return to New Albany with the parents of her husband. Her two little children have been here since their parents sailed to Manila."

The Southern railway has for a number of years, operated a first class vestibuled train between New York and New Orleans, via Washington and Atlanta, known as the Washington and Southern Limited. The equipment of this train consists of Pullman cars, drawing room cars and dining cars, but the Southern has still further improved the service by placing on this train the latest style Pullman library and observation cars, between New York and Atlanta. These cars are Pullman's latest build, and altogether the train is now one of the most delightful operated in the United States.

## SETTLED FOR THE WELL.

The City Council Pays Contractor Shaw for Digging Wells—Other Business Transacted.

From Friday's Daily:

There was no meeting of the city council last evening, on account of a lack of quorum, but an adjourned meeting was held at two o'clock this afternoon, when the mayor and all members were present except Heckman and Vile.

Settlement was made with J. H. Shaw, the well contractor, allowing him \$800.00, balance due on the deep well, and \$275.00 for 10-inch 100-foot well.

A communication was received from Geo. A. Latimer offering to dispose of official plats, surveys, copyrighted map and apparatus valued at \$1,000, for \$100, also a 26-inch Gurdy level at \$85.00. The matter was referred to the committee on purchase and supplies.

The matter of collecting dog tax was referred to the committee on nuisances with power to employ a special collector at a commission of not to exceed 25 per cent.

Permit was granted to H. A. Pasewalk to erect a corrugated iron building 18 by 69 feet, 12 feet high, on lot 14, block 6.

### Madison.

Judge Evans of the Tenth district held court for Judge Allen Tuesday.

Attorney James Nichols went down to Columbus on important legal business Wednesday.

Over an inch and one-half of rain fell Tuesday night and crops are looking much better as a result.

O. Y. King of Lincoln, who has recently graduated from the Nebraska law school, is visiting with his wife here for a few days before taking up work in his permanent location.

A lawn social, given by the ladies of the D. of H. on Friedman's lawn last Thursday evening, netted the ladies the neat sum of \$32.25. Over 15 gallons of ice cream were used during the evening.

Doe Malcome, formerly foreman of the Chronicle, and B. F. Wood, recent editor of the Reporter, have leased the Chronicle plant from Editor Seely and will now run it in partnership. Here's wishing you success, boys!

The funeral of Van Farrage, who committed suicide in Norfolk, was held from the residence of his parents on Saturday last, in the afternoon. The services were very quiet, printers from the local papers acting as pall-bearers.

A painful if not a serious accident befell Billie Fraser while working in the Star office yesterday morning. He was running a job off on the job-press when a slip refused to lie right on the impression plate and he tried to adjust it before the print was made. In doing so, his fingers remained a second too long on the plate, and as a result were caught between that part of the press and the form. The result can be imagined better than described. Four crushed fingers are now done up in a large, unrecognizable mass and a drawn, weary expression of pain tells the story of what he is suffering. Dr. Smart, who attended him, has hopes of saving all but one of the fingers, for that one he says little, but it is to be hoped that even that will be spared and his hand eventually repaired.

Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, the solemn words that made Carl T. Seely and Miss Minnie Steen husband and wife, were pronounced in the presence of the families and a few of the most intimate friends. That the wedding was to take place was a well known fact, but just when or where was kept very quiet. Everything was in readiness and soon after the ceremony, the few special friends, who had been so fortunate as to receive invitations, sat down to a sumptuous, as well as substantial, wedding breakfast. After this came handshaking and goodbyes, and the bride and groom drove to the depot, where they embarked for the west. Denver, Colorado Springs and several other points are included in the trip, which will extend over several weeks. As the train pulled out showers of rice, old shoes, brooms and other useful articles were generously presented to the happy pair, and then the crowd that had assembled to witness their departure, returned, satisfied with the whole affair. That an introduction for two so well known residents was needed to the public never entered our heads, hence it is omitted with the passing reminder that Carl is the well known, popular deputy internal revenue collector of this district and his bride a most successful and leading teacher in our public schools. The date of their return is uncertain but will probably be in about three weeks.

Why Men Don't Propose. "Why don't the men propose?" is an old and interesting question. The latest reply to it is made by a newspaper woman as follows: "In the first place, girls are different from what they used to be. They are independent, and queer and complex, and high, and mighty; and, if I were a man, I should think just about a million times before I introduced what might prove to be an infernal machine into my domestic arrangements. There has been a shifting of the common ground on which men and women meet. It used to be the sentimental plane. Now it is the material and the mental. I've read the gift-books my mother received when she

was a girl, and the original poems dedicated to her and inscribed in a fine, flowing hand in her 'Album of Thoughts.' We've revolted against such gushing sentimentality. People flop from one extreme to another, and just now we're at the flippant cynical point. The most winning and lovable trait in a woman is her tenderness and gentleness. Women used frankly to advertise to the world these traits. They even pretended to be full of sentiment when they were really as hard as flint. It's so different now. They are callous and critical and cold, self sufficient, and disillusioned, and with a very keen eye to the main chance. Another good one is that a bachelor can live as comfortably now as any man could want to. There are bachelor apartments and clubs in abundance, and if pure comfort is what a man wants, a bachelor can probably get more of it for less money than most married men have. All the comfort about the place belongs to the bachelor, and to him alone. He doesn't have to consult anybody's prejudices or anybody's convenience, and that's a great thing. Then there's another thing. Probably there are plenty of excellent wives, but somehow those are not the ones we hear much about. We hear about the extravagant girl who worries her husband to death with her bills; the cross one who nags unmercifully; the careless one who becomes a slattern; the stupid one who becomes a bore—all of them apparently nice girls before they fell under the blight of matrimony. I don't blame a man for having cold chills of apprehension."

### Proposals for Graveling Road Bed.

Sealed bids will be received by the board of county commissioners of Madison county, Nebraska, at the office of the county clerk of said county, at any time before July 11, 1899, at 12 o'clock m., for the hauling and spreading of gravel on road two miles north of Meadow Grove.

The quantity of gravel required is approximated at 1000 yards and will be furnished by the county, distance to haul one-half to three-fourth of one mile and bidder must state price for hauling per cubic yard.

Bidders are required to accompany their bids with a certified check of \$25, to be forfeited if contractor fails to make contract, and file a bond within ten (10) days from date of letting.

The county board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 26th day of May, 1899.  
E. G. HEILMAN,  
County Clerk.

### Ordinance No. 248.

An ordinance providing for a license tax on dogs and pups and for enforcing the same and inflicting a penalty on any person or persons harboring dogs or pups upon which a license tax has not been paid.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Norfolk, Nebraska: Section 1. No person or persons residing within the city of Norfolk, Nebraska, either permanently or temporarily shall keep or harbor any dog or pup within the said city of Norfolk without having paid a license tax and having procured a license therefor as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. Any person or persons desiring a license as mentioned in the preceding section shall pay to the chief of police the sum of \$2.00 for each male dog or pup and the sum of \$3.00 for each female dog or pup, the payment of which shall entitle such person or persons to a license to keep said dog until the first day of May of the succeeding year and no longer. The person or persons paying said money shall take a receipt from the chief of police for said money and present same to the city clerk who shall record the name of said person or persons and issue to him or them a metallic tag with a number corresponding to the receipt presented and the year for which issued stamped thereon.

Section 3. It shall be lawful for the chief of police or other policemen of the city of Norfolk and it is their duty to destroy any and all dogs or pups, the keepers, owners or harborers of which shall refuse or neglect to pay the tax as provided for in this ordinance, and to destroy any and all dogs found running at large and not wearing the metallic tags herebefore provided for, except dogs following their masters from without the city.

Section 4. Any person or persons keeping, owning or harboring any dog or pup within the city of Norfolk, Nebraska, and refusing or neglecting to pay the license tax herein specified within five days after being notified by the chief of police to pay said tax shall be deemed guilty of a violation of the provisions of this ordinance and upon conviction shall be fined not less than \$1.00 and not more than \$10.00 in the discretion of the court, and shall stand committed until said fine and costs are paid.

All ordinances in conflict with this ordinance shall be and the same are hereby repealed. This ordinance to be in force and effect after its passage and publication as provided by law.

Passed and approved June 1, 1899.  
J. E. SIMPSON, Mayor.

Attest: J. C. STITT, City Clerk.

### Give the Children a Drink

called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about one-fourth as much as coffee. 15 and 25 cents.

**PARKER'S HAIR BALM**  
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures itching Scalp and Itch. Price, 25c. and \$1.00 per Bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

## AFTER GENERAL MERRIAM.

Central Labor Union of New York Demands His Recall and Court Martial. New York, June 19.—The central federated labor union yesterday presented a resolution instructing its secretary to write to President McKinley and the war department, demanding the recall and trial by court martial of General Merriam, because of his policy regarding the striking miners at Cour d'Alene, Ida.

This action by the central body was inspired by the reading of the reply from the war department to a letter asking if General Merriam's orders to the miners to employ no union men had the sanction of the department. The reply was written by Frederick C. Squires, confidential clerk to Secretary Alger, who sent a copy of the instructions sent to General Merriam. These were as follows: "You will instruct Major Smith, commanding at Wallace, that he is to aid the United States troops simply to preserve order. Those were your original instructions. The army must have nothing whatever to do with enforcing rules for the government of miners or miners' union. That is a matter for the local authorities to deal with."

## MISSIONARIES MURDERED.

Rev. H. S. Phillips and Miss Sears Killed by Chinese Rioters.

HONG KONG, June 19.—It has developed that the Rev. H. S. Phillips and Miss Sears, missionaries of the Church Missionary society, who with three native converts, were recently killed by rioters in the province of Ngan-Hwei, had sought protection of the yamen at Kien Yang. The yamen, not being strong enough to protect them, sent the party under escort to Kien Ngai Fu, but the missionaries were murdered on the way there. It is reported that the natives destroyed the church, parsonage and hospital at Kien Ngai Fu. The floods interfere with communication.

## Section Hand Proves Himself a Hero.

CLEVELAND, June 19.—Blaze Patrie, a railroad section hand, proved himself a hero today and was fatally injured in an attempt to save a woman from death. Mrs. Jennie Price was riding a wheel across the Lake Shore tracks and fell in front of an approaching train. Patrie, who had been detailed to assist the flagman at the crossing, ran to Mrs. Price's assistance, but both he and the woman were run down. Mrs. Price lost a leg and an arm, while her rescuer was struck by the pilot of the engine and was picked up insensible from a bad wound in the head. Physicians say both will die.

## Two Thousand Decide to Strike.

BALTIMORE, June 19.—Two thousand employees of the marine department, Maryland Steel company, held a meeting yesterday and determined to strike at the end of seven days if their demands for a nine-hour day and weekly payments, were not acceded to by the company. A strike at Sparrows' Point at this time would be a serious matter. Five thousand men are employed by the company, and a tieup of one department would doubtless soon affect the other branches.

## Freight Handlers Still Out.

BUFFALO, June 19.—Nothing developed yesterday affecting the dock situation. The freight handlers held a largely attended meeting and those present exhibited a determination to stay out until the railways agree to pay them 20 cents an hour for overtime. They expect the old dock workers to stand by them. On good authority it was stated that the railway people will absolutely refuse to change the rate of wages they are paying to the men.

## Stubblefield Found Guilty.

SEDALIA, Mo., June 19.—The jury in the case of Eli J. Stubblefield, charged with the alleged robbery of a Missouri Pacific express train near here in November last, returned a verdict finding Stubblefield guilty and fixing his punishment at 10 years imprisonment in the state penitentiary. The trial of James I. West, Stubblefield's alleged accomplice, will begin today.

# Boils and Pimples Give Warning.

## AN UNFAILING SIGN THAT

## NATURE IS APPEALING

## FOR HELP.

When Nature is overtaxed, she has her own way of giving notice that assistance is needed. She does not ask for help until it is impossible to get along without it. Boils and pimples are an indication that the system is accumulating impurities which must be gotten rid of; they are an urgent appeal for assistance—a warning that can not safely be ignored.

To neglect to purify the blood at this time means more than the annoyance of painful boils and unsightly pimples. If these impurities are allowed to remain, the system succumbs to any ordinary illness, and is unable to withstand the many ailments which are so prevalent during spring and summer.

Mrs. L. Gentle, 2004 Second Avenue, Seattle, Wash., says: "I was afflicted for a long time with pimples, which were very annoying, as they disfigured my face fearfully. After using many other remedies in vain S. S. S. promptly and thoroughly cleansed my blood, and now I rejoice in a good complexion, which I never had before."

Capt. W. H. Dunlap, of the A. G. S. R. R. Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "Several boils and carbuncles broke out upon me, causing great pain and annoyance. My blood seemed to be in a riotous condition, and nothing I took seemed to do any good. Six bottles of S. S. S. cured me completely and my blood has been perfectly pure ever since."

## S. S. S. FOR THE BLOOD

is the best blood remedy, because it is purely vegetable and is the only one that is absolutely free from potash and mercury. It promptly purifies the blood and thoroughly cleanses the system, builds up the general health and strength. It cures Scrofula, Eczema, Cancer, Rheumatism, Tetters, Boils, Sores, etc., by going direct to the cause of the trouble and forcing out all impure blood.

Books free to any address by the Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

# Pretty Children

"We have three children. Before the birth of the last one my wife used four bottles of MOTHER'S FRIEND. If you had the pictures of our children, you could see at a glance that the last one is healthiest, prettiest and finest-looking of them all. My wife thinks MOTHER'S FRIEND is the greatest and grandest remedy in the world for expectant mothers."

Written by a Kentucky Attorney-at-Law.

MOTHER'S FRIEND prevents nine-tenths of the suffering incident to childbirth. The coming mother's disposition and temper remains unruffled throughout the ordeal, because this relaxing, penetrating liniment relieves the usual distress. A good-natured mother is pretty sure to have a good-natured child. The patient is kept in a strong, healthy condition, which the child also inherits. Mother's Friend takes a wife through the crisis quickly and almost painlessly. It assists in her rapid recovery, and wards off the dangers that so often follow delivery.

Sold by druggists for \$1 a bottle. THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO. ATLANTA, GA.

Send for our free illustrated book written expressly for expectant mothers.

Attention Farmers.—Do you desire to secure hundreds of sample copies of agricultural journals, magazines, newspapers, books, catalogues and circulars of the latest improved farm implements and machinery, and be kept posted on improved seeds and stock, for two years or more? If so, send us your name with ten cents in silver and we will insert the same in the American Farmers' Directory, which goes whirling all over the United States to publishers, merchants and manufacturers. You will get more good reading matter than you could purchase for many times the small cost of ten cents. We want every farmer's name in the United States in our directory at once. FARMERS' DIRECTORY CO., Department 118, Birmingham, Ala.

# LOW RATES TO Christian Endeavor Convention, Detroit, Mich., July 5-10th.

The Illinois Central Railroad will sell tickets from all points on its Western Lines to Detroit, Michigan, en route of the International Convention Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, at a rate of

## ONE FARE PLUS \$2.00

Tickets on sale July 2nd to 5th, inclusive. Limited for return until July 15th, with privilege of extension until August 15, 1899, by depositing ticket with Joint Agent at Detroit on or before July 12th and payment of deposit fee of fifty cents.

For printed matter descriptive of the beautiful city of Detroit, which is one of the best convention cities in the United States, and information concerning excursion rates for side trips from Detroit to various points in the vicinity etc., etc., address the undersigned.

J. F. McREARY,  
A. G. P. A., Ill. Cent. R. R.,  
Dubuque, Iowa.

Notice to Margaret Ann Walker, wife of George M. P. Walker, deceased, and his minor and unknown heirs of such deceased person, George Walker, Harrison R. Walker, Margaret Ann Walker: That in the matter of the application of the plaintiff for a permanent receiver, for lots 8, 10 and 11, of block 6, Koenigsstein's Third addition to Norfolk, Nebraska; that the judge of the district court of Madison county, Nebraska, has fixed June 6, 1899, as the time at which you are to show cause why a permanent receiver should not be appointed to succeed George W. Losey, sheriff, as temporary receiver; that unless good and sufficient cause is shown a permanent receiver will be appointed for said premises.

Additional affidavits of Anna George, C. W. Lamont et al. will be offered in support of such application for receiver. ANNA GEORGE, Plaintiff.  
Dated April 21, 1899.

By J. E. LATIMER, Attorney.